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 ROMELIO ALBERTO RIVERA

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES AND NETWORK INTERCONNECTIONS

☒ **APPLICANT(S) CLAIMS SMALL ENTITY STATUS. SEE 37 CFR 1.27.**

Enclosed are:

31 Pages of Specification5 Sheets of drawing (☒ formal ☐ informal)☒ Declaration and Petition (UNSIGNED) ☐ Will follow.☐ Form PTO-1595 and an assignment of the invention to ☐ Will follow.☐ A certified copy of ☐ from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and 35 U.S.C. 119. ☐ Will follow.☐ An associate Power of Attorney☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449 and ☐ prior art reference(s).☐ Preliminary Amendment.☒ General Authorization/Request to Petition for Extension of Time.☒ Postcard

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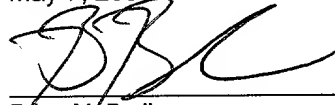
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